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Customer No. 38263 PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Foegler *et al.* Group Art Unit: 1782

Application No.: 10/588,477 Examiner: M. L. Jacobson

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For: FOOD CASING HAVING A TRANSFERABLE,

EDIBLE INNER COATING

DO NOT ENTER: /M.J./

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Charlotte, North Carolina August 4, 2011

Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated April 4, 2011, please enter the following amendment and consider the remarks which follow. Also enclosed is a Petition for a one-month Extension of Time with credit card form to extend the due date to August 4, 2011.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on Page 7 of this paper.